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Attorney Docket No. 1190-2115

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the
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Inventor(s): Alain R. Comeau

For: **METHOD, SYSTEM AND SIGNALING GATEWAYS AS AN
ALTERNATIVE TO SS7 SIGNAL TRANSFER POINTS**

Enclosed are:

- 6 sheets of informal drawings and 20 pages of Specification (including Abstract)
X A Declaration/Power of Attorney
X Assignment with form PTO 1595

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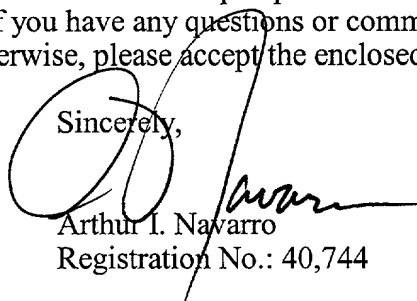
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- (1) Original Patent Application with Informal Drawings;
- (2) Original Assignment, Declaration, and Power of Attorney;
- (3) Assignment Recordation Form Cover sheet - Form PTO-1595;
- (4) Application Transmittal form;
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- (6) Postcard.

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